

Forces of Madriz Abandon Acovapa

TO GENERAL MENA, THE PRO
VISIONAL COMMANDER.

Of the Nicaraguan Troops—Fifty Prisoners

Bluefields, Nicaragua, July 31.—General Vasquez, commander in chief of the Nicaraguan forces, has abandoned Acopya to General Mena, the provisional commander, who has occupied a strong position before the town for some time past. Vasquez burned the houses containing stores and ammunition. This move by the Madriz commander was caused by the news of the disastrous defeat of General Lara by Moncado on July 29.

here, the Madrid forces fled in disorder leaving fifty prisoners, three Hotchkiss guns, six rapid firers and 100,000 rounds of ammunition. It is reported also that General Lara was wounded and that General Moncado is in pursuit.

**POSSES SCOURING THE WOODS
FOR AN ALABAMA NEGRO**

Who Criminally Assaulted Young Wife of J. O. Gibson.

Mobile, Ala., July 21.—Many persons have been scouring the woods around Axis, Ala., in the hope of finding the early this morning for Bill Walker, a negro, who criminally assaulted Mrs. Nettie Gibson, the young wife of J. O. Gibson, superintendent of a truck farm.

The negro told Mrs. Gibson a friend was dead and that he had been sent to accompany her to the house where she was wanted to help prepare the body. Proceedings a few hundred feet from the Gibson home, the negro began using his knife and later accom-

badly cut. Her eight year old brother, Clarence Howell, hearing her screams, ran to the scene and tried to protect her. Clarence Howell was also cut by the black. Walker, after forcing Mrs. Gibson to give him what money she had, left for the home of Jesse Brown, another negro.

He slipped up to Brown's window and waited while he was asleep. Walker then forced Brown's wife, Katie, to accompany him. Walker and Katie Brown have not been found. Citizens of the community say that the law will not be needed to deal with the case, and that Brown and his brother are not fatally ill, but Brown was

**THE GREATEST RAILROAD
STRUCTURE IN THE WORLD**
**Will Be Formally Opened in New York
This Afternoon.**

New York, July 31.—The new Pennsylvania railroad terminal in New York city—the greatest railroad structure in the world—will be formally opened at half past four tomorrow afternoon, although passenger service westward under the Hudson river and Long Island under the East river will

at least 1000 passengers. The special train hauled by an electric locomotive and bearing the name of President James McCreary, the board of directors and the chief officers of the Pennsylvania system will enter the station through the tunnel under the Hudson river just as thousands of other passengers will be doing a little more than a month later. The train will be completely within and without and President McCreary will immediately declare the Pennsylvania system an official party will then inspect the building and return later to Philadelphia.

To organize state of Alexander J. Cassatt, late president of the Pennsylvania railroad, will be unveiled in the Pennsylvania system. President McCreary as the head of the system.

MOTORED OVER TO WORCESTER.

President Taft Took 150 Mile Auto Ride Sunday.

Reverly, Mass., July 31. President Taft today made his first automobile ride today. Starting out a little after 10

to Worcester. In the interior of the state, and proceeded from there to the little village of Millbury, Mass., where he attended a sort of family reunion at the home of Aunt Della Torrey. Returning to Beverly at 7.40 o'clock to-night, the speedometer on the car showed a total mileage for the day of a fraction over 150. Mr. Taft was tired and dusty, but he thoroughly enjoyed the outing.

Natick, Mass., July 31.—Congressman Charles Q. Tirrell of the Fourth Massachusetts district died suddenly today at his home here. Death was due to a hemorrhage of the brain and came while the congressman was unconscious. He was 65 years old and leaves his wife and one son.

Winsted, Conn., July 31.—Ernest Marsland of New Rochelle, N. Y., a chauffeur for I. W. Boone of Dallas, Tex., was drowned while canoeing on Highland lake tonight. Marsland went out in the canoe alone and when about forty feet from shore it upset. By the time aid reached him and he had been brought ashore life was extinct. He was 20 years old and leaves a mother and brother.

found story book porch of his home in Church street here tonight and was instantly killed, his skull being fractured. He leaves his wife.

Esperanto International Congress.
Washington, July 31.—The sixth international congress of Esperanto will convene in this section here during the entire week beginning Aug. 14. This will be the first time that the congress has met in the western hemisphere, its five previous meetings having been in Europe.

Boy Drowned in Connecticut River.
Newtown, Conn., July 31.—Word was received from Hartford that a State Senator, Michael J. Houlihan, that his son

E. F. Atkins Was Elected President
of the Westinghouse Electric and
manufacturing company, succeeding
George Westinghouse, at a meeting of
the directors in New York.